Amendments to the Claims

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1-13. (Cancelled)

14. (Currently Amended) The method of claim [12] 35, further comprising the step of:

storing contact information about the associated [second] party in one of the storing terminal [of the first party] and [the] a network element accessible to the storing mobile terminal [first party].

15. (Currently Amended) The method of claim [13] 35, wherein said associated data [object] comprises [association] data regarding at least one of a source, originator, target, and subject of said data object.

16-17. (Cancelled)

18. (Currently Amended) The method of claim [16] 35, wherein the auditory, visual, and/or tactile signal is presented [imparted] by one of the associated [second] terminal and a device linked to the associated [second] terminal with a short range wireless communication link.

19. (Currently Amended) The method of claim [12] 35, [further comprising receiving the notifying message at the terminal of the second party, and imparting the notifying message] wherein the notifying message comprises at least one of a plurality of different types of notifying messages available to send to the second party.

20. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 19, wherein the step of presenting the auditory, visual, and/or tactile signal to the associated party [imparting the notifying message] comprises the step of imparting at least one of different types of vibrations to the associated [second] party depending on which of the at least one of the plural different types of notifying messages has been received.

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21. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 19, wherein the plurality of different types of notifying messages comprises different personalized messages created by the <u>user of the storing mobile terminal</u> [~~first party~~].

22. (Currently Amended) The method of claim [~~12~~] <u>35</u>, wherein the data object [~~to be activated~~] comprises at least one of an email, a contact directory entry, a phonebook entry, a short message service message, a text message, an image, a picture, a video clip, an audio clip, and an animation associated with the <u>associated</u> [~~second~~] party.

23. (Currently Amended) The method of claim [~~12~~] <u>35</u>, wherein [~~the step of~~] activating the data object comprises one of accessing, reading, writing, drawing, editing, copying, forwarding, moving, renaming, combining, showing details of, attaching a message to, using, listening to, and viewing the data object.

24-34. (Cancelled)

35. (New) A method of informing a party associated with a data object that said data object has been activated by a user of a mobile terminal in which said data object is currently being stored, comprising the steps of:

> associating a data object with an associated mobile terminal of an associated party, whereby said associated data object comprises association data identifying at least said associated mobile terminal, wherein said associated mobile terminal has a wireless link with a wireless communication network;

> storing said associated data object in a memory of a storing mobile terminal, said associated data object being capable of activation by a user of said storing mobile terminal;

> whenever a user of said storing mobile terminal activates said associated data object, transmitting a notifying message via the wireless communication network to the associated mobile terminal of the associated party; and

> when the associated mobile terminal receives said notifying message, presenting an auditory, visual, and/or tactile signal to the associated party thereby informing the associated party that the associated data object stored on the storing mobile terminal has been activated by the user of said storing mobile terminal.

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36. (New) A method of informing a party associated with a data object that said data object has been activated by a user of a mobile terminal in which said data object is currently being stored, comprising the steps of:

associating a data object with a transmitting mobile terminal of a party associated with said associated data object, whereby said associated data object comprises association data identifying at least said transmitting mobile terminal, wherein said transmitting mobile terminal has a wireless link with a wireless communication network;

transmitting, by said transmitting mobile terminal, said associated data object via the wireless communication network to a storing mobile terminal;

receiving, by said storing mobile terminal, said associated data object and storing said associated data object in a memory of said storing mobile terminal, said associated data object being capable of activation by a user of said storing mobile terminal;

whenever a user of said storing mobile terminal activates said associated data object, transmitting a notifying message via the wireless communication network to the transmitting mobile terminal of the associated party; and

when the transmitting mobile terminal receives said notifying message, presenting a tactile signal to the associated party, wherein said tactile signal uniquely identifies at least one of the following: the associated data object, the storing mobile terminal, and/or the user of the storing mobile terminal;

wherein said tactile signal thereby informs the associated party at least one of the following: the associated data object has been activated on a mobile terminal, the associated data object has been activated on the storing mobile terminal, and/or the associated data object has been activated by the user of the storing mobile terminal.

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37. (New) A method of informing a party associated with an electronic representation that said electronic representation has been activated by a user of a mobile terminal in which said electronic representation is currently being stored, comprising the steps of:

associating an electronic representation with an associated mobile terminal of an associated party, whereby said associated data object comprises association data identifying at least said associated mobile terminal, wherein said associated mobile terminal has a wireless link with a wireless communication network;

transmitting said associated data object from the associated mobile terminal to a storing mobile terminal;

storing said associated data object in a memory on said storing mobile terminal, said associated data object being capable of activation by a user of said storing mobile terminal;

whenever a user of said storing mobile terminal activates said associated data object, transmitting a notifying message via the wireless communication network to the associated mobile terminal of the associated party; and

when the associated mobile terminal receives said notifying message, presenting a tactile signal to the associated party, wherein said tactile signal uniquely identifies at least one of the following: the associated data object, the storing mobile terminal, and/or the user of the storing mobile terminal;

wherein said tactile signal thereby informs the associated party at least one of the following: the associated data object has been activated on a mobile terminal, the associated data object has been activated on the storing mobile terminal, and/or the associated data object has been activated by the user of the storing mobile terminal.

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